

Can You Help?

The Church of St Mary de Haura has stood at the heart of the community of Shoreham for 900 years. Between 2002 and 2006 *The Friends of St Mary's Church* undertook the restoration of the medieval stone vault (ceiling), which won a major national architectural award.

Thanks to a large grant from English Heritage/the Lottery and the generosity of national and local charities and individual donors, the work has now been completed. Fundraising must continue for the foreseeable future, however, to enable essential electrical and other projects to proceed and to safeguard the future maintenance of the building.

Past generations have left us a magnificent heritage in St Mary's, and it is regarded as one of the most beautiful and architecturally important churches in Sussex.

The church is also a real community asset, and is often used for concerts, lectures, plays, exhibitions and other

cultural events. We do hope that you will want to play your part in supporting this church, and we shall be most grateful for any donations.

Would you like to become a Friend?

The best way of keeping in touch with news and events is to join *The Friends of St Mary's Church*.

This Charitable Trust was set up many years ago to enable anyone in Shoreham and beyond who has an interest in the church building to contribute to its upkeep on a regular basis. There is an Autumn Festival when the Friends meet together at St Mary's, and they are kept informed during the year about forthcoming events at the church.

If you would like further information please telephone 01273 440114 or e-mail info@stmarydehaura.org.uk

For the latest news and events, please see the Friends page of our church website:

www.stmarydehaura.org.uk

How to join The Friends or make a donation

I would like to join *The Friends of St Mary's Church* (£5 minimum)

I would like to make a donation of:
£100 £50 £25 Other _____

I wish to make this donation using *Gift Aid* and have signed the declaration overleaf

Name _____

Address _____

Postcode _____

Your name and address will not be shared with any other organisation.

*Please make your cheque payable to:
The Friends of St Mary's Church
and send it, with this form, to:*

**The Treasurer
The Friends of St Mary's Church
c/o The Vicarage
Church Street
Shoreham-by-Sea
West Sussex BN43 5DQ**

Gift Aid Declaration:

It is my stated wish that this donation of

£ _____

made on ____ / ____ / 20____ and
any subsequent donation(s) are to be
treated as Gift Aided.

Signed _____

*You must pay an amount of Income Tax
and/or Capital gains Tax at least equal to the tax
we reclaim on your donation in any tax year.
Currently this is 28p for each £1 you give.*

*We look forward to welcoming
you to St Mary de Haura*

St George's Chapel is open daily for
private prayer from 9am to 5pm.

Shoreham is easily reached by bus
and train, and lies just off the A27
between Brighton and Worthing.
There are public car parks nearby.

Sunday Services

to which you are warmly invited

8am Holy Communion

11am Parish Eucharist

6pm Evening Service

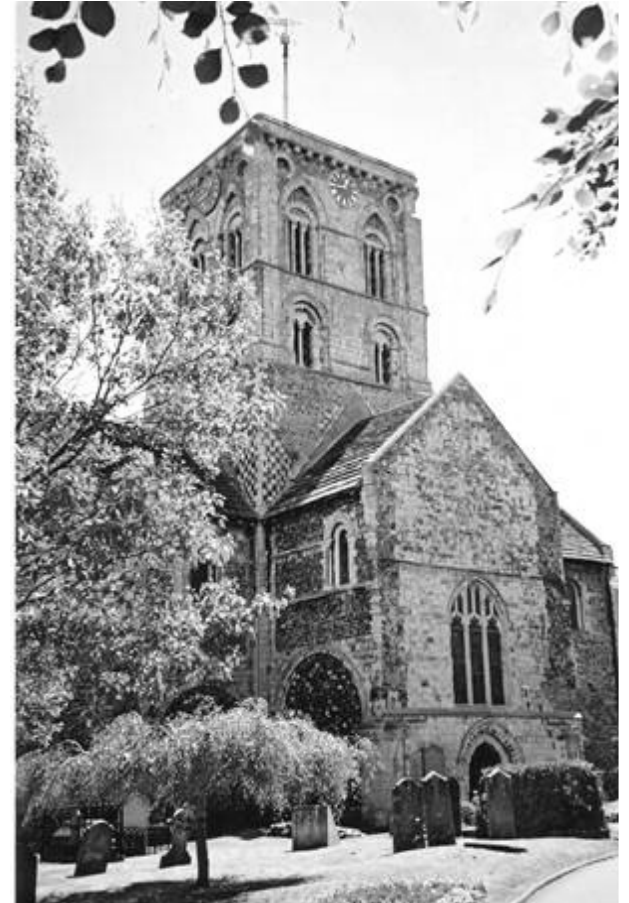
*The Evening Service varies from week to week:
at least once a month the form of service is
Evensong from the Book of Common Prayer,
and there are also informal Praise and Healing
services. Please enquire.*

There are also many special services held
throughout the year, including the annual
Shoreham Remembrance Sunday Service,
the Town Carol Service on Christmas Eve
and an Easter Carol Service.



The Friends of St Mary's Church is a
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*Please help
save Shoreham's
historic heart*



*Please become
a Friend of
St Mary's Church*